



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Technology Center 2800

Masao MURADE et al.

Group Art Unit: 2871

Application No.: 09/809,207 ✓

Examiner: K. Parker

Filed: March 16, 2001

Docket No.: 108092

For: ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE

PETITION TO REISSUE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE NOT RECEIVED

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The United States Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to withdraw the Notice of Abandonment for failure to timely pay the required Issue Fee and Publication Fee because the Notice of Allowance mailed on December 18, 2003, was not received. A search of the file jacket and docket records indicates that the Office Action was not received by Applicants' representative Oliff & Berridge, PLC.

Attached to this communication are three docket records of the law firm of Oliff & Berridge, PLC. Appendix A is a listing of all the responses in our office with a due date of March 18, 2004. Had the December 18, 2003, Notice of Allowance been received, it would have been entered into the docketing records showing a base date of December 18, 2003, and a due date of March 18, 2004. The attached docket record for March 18, 2004, does not identify this case by our attorney docket number (108092).

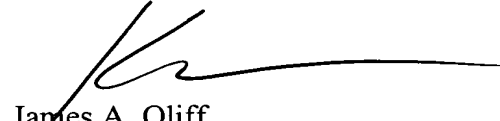
Appendix B is a computerized docket sheet for this particular application showing the docketed due dates for this application. Appendix C is a photocopy of the file jacket for the application where docket entries are entered manually. Had the Notice of Allowance been received, the Notice of Allowance and the March 18, 2004, due date would have been entered onto the computerized docket sheet and the file jacket. Lastly, a Supplemental Notice of Allowability mailed April 1, 2004, was separately received.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that: 1) the December 18, 2003, Notice of Allowance was not received by Oliff & Berridge, PLC; 2) a search of the file jacket and docket records indicates that the Notice of Allowance was not received; and 3) the attached docket records show where the non-received Notice of Allowance would have been entered had it been received and docketed, and demonstrate that the Notice of Allowance under attorney docket number 108092 dated December 18, 2003, was not received nor docketed for a response due on March 18, 2004.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the non-received Office Action be re-mailed to the attorneys of record.

As this Petition does not result from any error on the part of the undersigned, it is respectfully submitted that no Petition fee is due. However, please debit Deposit Account No. 15-0461 as needed in order to ensure revival of the application. Please telephone the undersigned if any questions arise in connection with this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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Appendix:

Responses Due March 18, 2004
Computerized Docket for Matter No. 108092
Copy of File Jacket for Matter No. 108092

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Date: May 14, 2004

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<p>DEPOSIT ACCOUNT USE AUTHORIZATION Please grant any extension necessary for entry; Charge any fee due to our Deposit Account No. 15-0461</p>
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